

### **Abstract**

Presented herein is an editing apparatus capable of restoring a material from either media of original media and backup media, and backing up or restoring by using different media. This editing apparatus comprises a material storage for storing a material, a material capture unit for taking in a material from external media to the material storage, a material output unit for sending the material stored in the material storage to external media, and a material information management unit for managing external media information for specifying at least either one of the external media and material storing place in the external media, in which the material information management unit has an external media information store region.